The Personal Notebooks

of

Charles E. Barber

Over the years, Charles E. Barber maintained two small notebooks, in which he listed the coins and medals he owned (many of which he had engraved himself). The notebooks are most easily separated into two categories: A) Coins and Patterns; and B) Medals he made (and the amount he charged for making each medal.

PART TWO: MEDALS MADE BY BARBER

Number of Documents: 5 (U.S. & Foreign)

Significance: In addition to numerous well known medals by Barber, his notebook listings include more "exotic" pieces, such as a "tin mining" medal; spoon dies with the portraits of George and Martha Washington; a medal for the SOCIETY FOR ORGANIZING CHANTS; and the Great Seal of the State of Wyoming. In nearly all cases, Barber included the price he charged for making each of the listed medals.

1885

Peabody medal	200
Drapeik.	140
Baird.	500
Watson	3.00
Barnum	200

1886,

Barthelde	250.
College of Pharmacy 1885	25
E.C.A.D. N.Y.	15
Medical Congress	650

1889 — 1890

Honduras dies	575.
Watson medal. reverse	25
C.B. Soley	60
alterations for Chapman dies	45
M. E. Hospital dies	165
Medals.	320
" " "	170

Letter punches for Grace	130.00
Dies and date punches for G. G Howard	101.00
Tin mining Co	30.00
G.H. Ford. New Haven Comm	113.00
Minerva Head Line of Boston	80.50
Spoon die Washington head	90.65
Martha Washington head	90.65
Watson medal reverse	25.00
June 1891 Grand Lodge of Rhode Island Howard	200.00
New Haven Jail	14.00
Law Association Medal	300.00
M E. Hospital	50
M.E. Wharton St Church	50.00
M. Richards Medal	100.00
Detroit Museum of Art	250.00
Woman Temperance Chicago	125.00
New York Monuments	125.00

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Knights Templar		$ 90	00
Girls High School		73	50
Charleston S.C.		240	00
"	"	225	60
Chicago Iowa Meads		488	00
New Jersey		378	50
Hayward		675	
Chicago		647	
Hofmann		175	
Bolivia		374	
		3347	
Hawaii 108		300	300
april 1884			
St. Organizing Chants			$ 2
Toronto			$ 165
Sylvester die			2 50
Press Bolivia Mint			4

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Great Seal State Wyoming	$150 00
California Mid Winter Exposition	220 00
Mint Medal Chicago	50 00
Yale College medal	15.00
Ecuador	330.10
St Louis	50 00
Bishop Simpson	200.00

Chronometers

Jewel Gold $100 each
Small Gold 65-
Silver 50
Bronze 50

Bolivia Hemenway & Brown
Engraving Rules @ $1.75 per pair
Otto punches 1884 to 1888 inclu, $350
5 sets of Steel $35-

Medals

1st steam coining press used by U.S. Mint (2)
St Gaudens Columbian award medals (4)
original design - as not accepted by commission
Monumental bldg as it was 1876 - Silver